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Applicants : Izuru NAKAI et al.

Appln No. : 09/892,651

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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

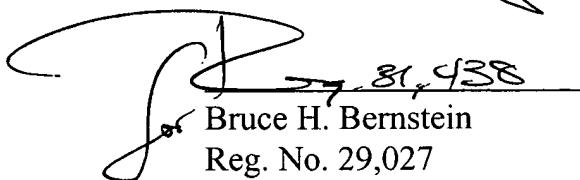
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Sir:

Please extend the time for response to the Official Office Action dated September 23, 2002 by two months, from December 23, 2002 to February 24, 2003 (February 23 falling on a Sunday.) A check including the amount of \$410.00 is enclosed as payment for the fee.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fee to Deposit Account No. 19-0089.

Respectfully submitted,
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